



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/540,894  
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Applicant: Nils Peter Adler  
Group Art Unit: 1793  
Examiner: Erin P. Barry  
Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR WELDING A POUR  
SPOUT FITMENT TO A CONTAINER  
Attorney Docket: ELO-00027

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Office Action dated April 17, 2008, to which a timely response is due with a two-month extension of time due by September 17, 2008. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Examiner's rejections and/or objections in view of the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.